

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF

Mark Stewart

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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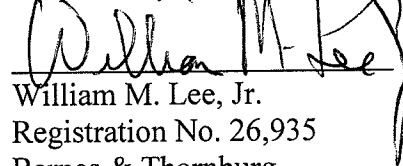
Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136, the applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months to respond to the Office Action of January 4, 2010. Response will therefore be timely if filed with the Patent and Trademark Office no later than June 4, 2010.

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.17, the required fee of \$490.00 should be deducted from Deposit Account No. 141315.

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Respectfully submitted,



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